

# Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

July 9-10, 2022



After Trinity Sunday, we have started marching through Luke's Gospel. Having heard portions of chapters 8 and 9, we are now in the midst of chapter 10, the second of three Sundays. Last week, we heard the account of Jesus sending, receiving back, and celebrating the work of God through the Seventy (or Seventy-Two). Next week, we will hear about Mary and Martha. In this week's Gospel, a lawyer questions Jesus regarding what must be done to inherit eternal life. Jesus points him to the Law and questions how he understands it. The lawyer summarizes by quoting Deut 6:5 with regard to loving God and Lev 19:18 (from our text, the Old Testament Reading) regarding loving the neighbor. When Jesus tells the lawyer to do these things, the lawyer asks who his neighbor is. Jesus responds with the parable of the Good Samaritan, challenging the lawyer to identify who acted as a neighbor. When the lawyer correctly responds, "The one who showed mercy," Jesus tells him to "go and do likewise." On this Sunday, the Epistle begins a series of readings from Colossians. Related to loving the neighbor and showing mercy, Paul gives thanks for the Colossians' faith in Christ and their love for all the saints. He also tells them of his prayers that they may walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, grounded in God's work of delivering them from the domain of darkness and transferring them to the kingdom of Jesus. The Collect celebrates Christ's compassionate rescuing of us from whatever may hurt us. It goes on to request that He teach us to love Him above all things and to love our neighbors as ourselves, echoing the lawyer's summary of the Torah as drawn from Deuteronomy 6 and Leviticus 19.

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*Equipping the family of God to joyfully and boldly make disciples of Christ as we*

**KNOW** Jesus and one another, **GROW** to be more like Him and

**SOW** His love in Word and deed.



# Saturday 6 p.m. & Sunday 9 a.m. Traditional Worship Services

Kevin Vollrath – Organist

## “Living and Loving in the Kingdom of Jesus” - *Leviticus (18:1-5) 19:9-18*

As our gracious God gathers us together in His house today, we are blessed with another opportunity to be filled with His love. This love is the love that enables us to love. It all begins with God, who so loved the world that He gave His only-begotten Son. This love is found in Jesus, who in great love offered His life upon the cross for us. This love is poured out upon us when we, by the power of the Holy Spirit, believe in Christ as our Lord and Savior. It knows no limits because this love is directed to us in Christ and then through us back to God in lives of worship. But our worship doesn't stop when the service is over; no, our love for God continues when it is directed through us toward our neighbors in lives of humble service. The limitless love of God is ours to receive yet again today as we gather to give thanks to the Father above who has “transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins” (Colossians 1:13–14).

### PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

### WELCOME

### RINGING OF THE BELLS

### HYMN OF INVOCATION

“Joyful, Joyful We Adore The”

LSB 803

### INVOCATION

### CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION *Psalm 41:4; Leviticus 18:4; Colossians 1:10, 12–14; Luke 10:27*

P: As for me, I said, “O LORD, be gracious to me;

**C: heal me, for I have sinned against You!”**

*In silent prayer, we come before our merciful Lord for His healing forgiveness.*

P: Holy God, You have commanded us: “You shall follow My rules and keep My statutes and walk in them. I am the LORD your God.”

**C: We confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean.**

P: “Walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to Him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God.”

**C: We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone.**

P: “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.”

**C: We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P: As brothers and sisters in Christ, let us give thanks to the Father, “who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.” As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

### KYRIE

L: In the peace and love of Christ, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy!**

L: For the gift of love from above and for the salvation of all who trust in Jesus, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy!**

L: For His love to fill the whole world as the Church of God walks in unity and proclaims the message of His kingdom, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy!**

L: For our congregation, for its labors of love, and for all who offer in this holy house their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy!**

L: Help, heal, rescue, and redeem us, gracious Lord.

**C: Amen!**

### SALUTATION

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

[Today's Bible readings found on page 12 of this worship program]

**OLD TESTAMENT READING:** *Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18*

**EPISTLE READING:** *Colossians 1:1-14*

### VERSE

*Luke 10:27, adapted*

P: Alleluia. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind.

**C: And you shall love your neighbor as yourself. Alleluia.**

**HOLY GOSPEL:** *Luke 10:25-37*

**SERMON MESSAGE:** "Living and Loving in the Kingdom of Jesus" - *Leviticus (18:1-5) 19:9-18*

### APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: ... Lord in Your mercy

**C: Hear our prayer.**

## LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

## OFFERINGS OF OUR TIME, TALENTS & TREASURES

"Lord, we are yours. This represents our heart, our attitude, our spirit, and our willingness to recognize and submit to you as our Lord."

## CLOSING SENTENCES

*Luke 10:27, adapted*

P: Alleluia. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind.

**C: And you shall love your neighbor as yourself. Alleluia.**

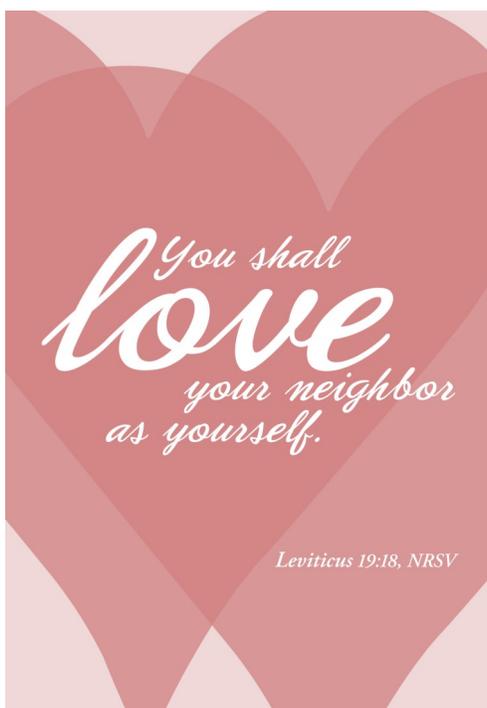
## BENEDICTION

### HYMN TO DEPART

**"Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"**

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# Sunday 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service

**Jon Lutz – Accompanist**

**“Living and Loving in the Kingdom of Jesus” - Leviticus (18:1-5) 19:9-18**

As our gracious God gathers us together in His house today, we are blessed with another opportunity to be filled with His love. This love is the love that enables us to love. It all begins with God, who so loved the world that He gave His only-begotten Son. This love is found in Jesus, who in great love offered His life upon the cross for us. This love is poured out upon us when we, by the power of the Holy Spirit, believe in Christ as our Lord and Savior. It knows no limits because this love is directed to us in Christ and then through us back to God in lives of worship. But our worship doesn't stop when the service is over; no, our love for God continues when it is directed through us toward our neighbors in lives of humble service. The limitless love of God is ours to receive yet again today as we gather to give thanks to the Father above who has “transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins” (Colossians 1:13–14).

## **Pre-Service Music**

### **Invocation**

### **Opening Prayer / Theme Introduction**

**Worship Song:** “I Am”

### **Time of Confession and Forgiveness**

*Pastor:* We must clear our hearts before the Lord.

**Worshipers:** We must confess our sins to the Holy God.

*Pastor:* For in His kindness, He opens up His arms to us, like a loving Father welcoming us back home. No matter what we have done, Jesus forgives us.

**Worshipers:** We confess our sins, every single one. We've broken more than one commandment, and we admit our faults to You, Lord God.

*Pastor:* The loving Lord forgives us all through Jesus Christ, the Son. It is not our own doing, but all glory belongs to Him- for Jesus Christ's sacrifice paid for our sins.

**Worshipers:** We love You, God, and we praise Your name. Blessed be the name of the Lord!

## **† We Hear God's Word †**

[Today's Bible readings found on page 12 of this worship program]

**Old Testament Reading:** *Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18*

**Epistle Reading:** *Colossians 1:1-14*

**Holy Gospel:** *Luke 10:25-37*

**Response Song:** “Thank You”

**Message:** “Living and Loving in the Kingdom of Jesus” - *Leviticus (18:1-5) 19:9-18*

## **† We Respond to God's Word †**

### **Apostles Creed**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## † We Pray †

### Prayers

#### The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

#### Offerings of Our Time, Talents & Treasures

“Lord, we are yours. This represents our heart, our attitude, our spirit, and our willingness to recognize and submit to you as our Lord.”

## † We Depart in Peace †

### Benediction

*Pastor: Remember to follow the way of the Lord, and not the way of this world. Love your neighbor and love God.*

**Worshipers: We will love God with our heart, soul, mind, and strength and love our neighbors as ourselves. May the Spirit of the Lord guide us into His way and sustain us with His love. Amen!**

**Closing Song:** “I Will Love You Lord”

**LOVE**  
*the Lord your God*  
*with all your*  
**HEART**  
*and with all your*  
**SOUL**  
*and with all your*  
**STRENGTH**  
*and with all your*  
**MIND...**

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# NOTES AND NEWS

## Church Sanctuary Worship Service Guidelines

The Board of Elders has approved our return to pre-pandemic sanctuary worship guidelines with the following additional notes:

- Masks will be optional, and still available in the Marie Pfarr Room if desired.
- Ushers are no longer required to wear masks and gloves.
- Pastor and Elders are no longer required to wear mask and gloves while communing the congregation.
- We are offering The Common Cup.
- Those wishing to receive communion in their cars may continue to do so.
- Offering Plate: The passing of the collection plate during the 6:00 pm and 9:00 am Traditional worship services has returned. The collection boxes will continue to be used at the 11:00 am Contemporary worship service.

### Additional Worship Service Information:

- By Radio - You can join our worship service by tuning to WQTT1270 AM and 96.7 FM at 8:00 a.m. airtime.
- Join us in the parking lot by tuning your car radio to 92.1 FM at any of our sanctuary services.
- Join us on Facebook at 11:00 a.m. for our "live streaming" service, or after on Sundays at: <https://www.facebook.com/jack.heino>

## A/V Ministry Opportunity

Are you interested in learning how to operate a sound board and serve God and the church through technical ministry? We will be holding a beginner level training session on Saturday morning, August 6 and 13.

For more information contact John Nicol. Email: [jnicol937@gmail.com](mailto:jnicol937@gmail.com)

## Member Mission Outreach

### Loving in Actions & In Truth is Reorganizing!

LIAAIT is looking for volunteers! And also looking to find local community needs for our services (i.e., wheelchair ramps and repairs to wooden decks and steps).

#### New Coordinator: Geoff Masters

Email: [lovinginaction@sjsmarysville.org](mailto:lovinginaction@sjsmarysville.org)

Phone: 440-289-4487

Give Geoff a call or email if you would like more info, give service ideas or to sign up for a project.



## School's Out For Summer!

GOAL: \$5,200,000



In Hand Amount  
as of 7.1.22

While School is out for summer, School Expansion certainly is not! The Building Committee gets closer to plans and costs and the Growing Roots campaign is exploring many fundraising and partnership opportunities. Just a reminder with wheat harvest coming that the "Building with Bounty" campaign at Heritage is still active where grain can be directly donated to the campaign. Over 250 families have contributed \$860,000 with a total of \$1,417,775 committed!

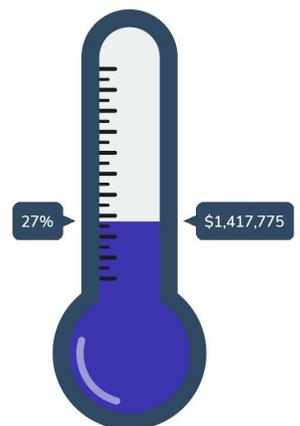
### All checks need to be made out to St. John's Church.

Please place your contribution in an envelope and write, "Growing ROOTS" on the outside or place in a Growing ROOTS envelope from your packet.

Scan the QR to GIVE to GROWING ROOTS!



GOAL: \$5,200,000



Committed Amount  
as of 7.1.22

## WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S!

**Welcome to St. John's.** Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. We pray that you will encounter Christ, the Living Word, and in a new way experience His mercy and grace today. We ask if you are a visitor, or a worship scholarship participant (SJ School), to please fill out the **blue card** located in the pew rack in front of you. Then drop the card in the offering box as you leave worship. If you would like to know more about our ministry, please call the church office at 937-644-5540.

**The Lutheran Hour** is on the radio Sunday mornings at **7:00am on WLW (700 AM)**. Log on to [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org) for more information and channels. Jim Vandre, LHM Ambassador.

**St. John's Radio Program** airs Sunday mornings at **8:00am** on local channel **WQTT (1270 AM & 98.7 FM)**.

**Altar Flowers:** Altar flowers are given in Thanksgiving to God and in celebration of the Holy Baptism of **Vivian Rae Cullman** and **Hudson Ann Cullman**, by their grandparents Jim and Jody Cullman.

**Chancel Flowers:** Flowers have been placed in the chancel in celebration of the marriage of **Heath Monroe** and **Emily Blegvad** on Saturday, July 9.

### THE LORD'S WEEK AT ST. JOHN'S JULY 10-17, 2022

<b>TODAY</b>	9:00 am	Sanctuary Worship Service & "Live Streaming"
07/10/22	10:00 am	Adult & Young Adult Bible Study/ Youth & Children Sunday School
	11:00 am	Contemporary Worship Service
<b>TUESDAY</b>	11:30 am	Ladies Aid Quilting
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		<b>Ladies Aid Craft Times: 10:00 am-12:00 pm &amp; 5:00-7:00 pm/Church Basement</b>
	1:30 pm	ACES/Youth House
<b>THURSDAY</b>	12:00 pm	Ladies Aid Quilting
<b>FRIDAY</b>	1:00 pm	Ladies Aid Quilting
	5:30 pm	L.E.A.P. Benefit Gala/School Gym
<b>SATURDAY</b>	8:00 am	L.E.A.P. Golf Outing at The Ridge Golf & Gardens
	6:00 pm	Sanctuary Worship Service/Communion
<b>SUNDAY</b>	9:00 am	Sanctuary Worship Service/Communion & "Live Streaming"
07/17/22	10:00 am	Adult & Young Adult Bible Study/ Youth & Children Sunday School
	11:00 am	Contemporary Worship Service/Communion
	1:30 pm	Quarterly Voter's Meeting/School Gym

### ALL AGES SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00 - 11:00 am  
(Summer Schedule)

**3 Years-Kindergarten**—Church Basement

**1st-6th Grades**—Meet together in the gym, and then move to school classrooms.

**7th & 8th Grade Youth Catechism Class**—Completed for this year. Welcome to join the High School Youth through summer.

**High School Youth "Cornerstone Discipleship"**—Youth House

**Women's Bible Study**—Mrs. Melissa Vollrath's Classroom (below the school loft): **Topic - "Esther"**

**Adult Bible Study**—School Cafeteria: **New Topic - "The Book of Acts: Eye Witness Series"** from **Right Now Media Bible study series**. Led by Ed Hahn through July.

**NOTE:** Elementary Sunday School Classes will be cancelled for **Labor Day**.

If you have questions, please contact the  
Sunday School Superintendent,  
Lisa Arnold at 937-205-1802 or [arnoldlisa50@yahoo.com](mailto:arnoldlisa50@yahoo.com)

**Notes & News Deadline:** Please submit articles by no later than Tuesday at noon to Regina Bullerman, Church Secretary. Call 937-240-3004, mail to the church office, or email to [rbullerman@sjsmarysville.org](mailto:rbullerman@sjsmarysville.org).

### Weekly Church Attendance

**6:00 pm Saturday and 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. Sunday**  
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### Congregational Tithe First Quarter Mission

#### Opportunities of Fiscal Year 2022-23

Ohio District LCMS - 50%; Food Pantries,  
Operation Christmas Child, Clothes Closet,  
Personal Needs Pantry - 10% Each  
New Path Pregnancy Resource Ctr.;  
Emergency Assistance Program - 5% Each

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### Weekly Worship Bible Readings

For those of you who would like to study the Word ahead of the next weekends worship services, we are listing here in the N&N the Bible readings that Pastor Jack will be using.

**July 16-17, 2022**

**Old Testament Reading: Genesis 18:1-14**

**Epistle Reading: Colossians 1:21-29**

**Holy Gospel Reading: Luke 10:38-42**

## NOTES & NEWS ITEMS

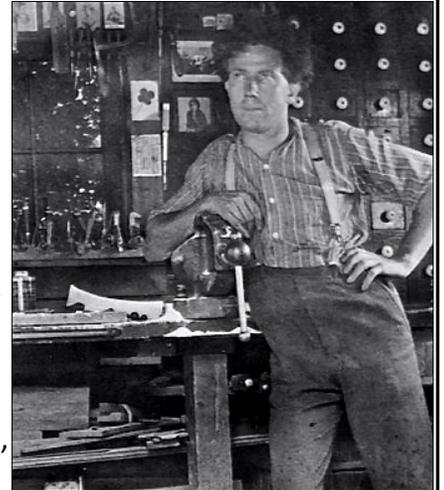
Soar on Wings God has Made for You

# Golden Eagles

## TRUMPET IN THE LAND and THE ERNEST WARTHER MUSEUM TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2022

**“TRUMPET IN THE LAND”** is calling us back to the rolling hills of eastern Ohio, where a year ago we were rained out before the outdoor drama could even begin! But don't expect this excursion to be a **REPEAT** of last year's adventure! Prepare to be **AMAZED, SPELLBOUND** and **INSPIRED!**

**THE ERNEST WARTHER MUSEUM:** It all started when Ernest Warther lost his father at the age of three, in 1888, forcing him to take his first job at five years old to help his mother support the family. But what ultimately changed the course of his life was when he happened upon a pocketknife lying in the dirt. He picked it up, started whittling, and never set it down again! The knife changed over the years, but his determination, ingenuity and artistic ability never did! Over those 82 years, this **ARTIST, GENIUS** and **INVENTOR** would hand-sculpt over sixty works, focusing on the invention and progressive success of the steam engine. The result earned him the title of The World's Master Carver!



**THE ERNEST WARTHER MUSEUM** is built on the location of Ernest and his wife, Frieda's original home. You'll see Ernest's first workshop, the home he shared with his family, his wife's spectacular gardens and her own artistry displayed in the amazing collages she created with her button collection. Down the hill from their home and Frieda's lush flower gardens is a child's dream playground the couple created for their children as well as a place for the entire neighborhood to gather. Today it is a shady oasis containing an antique caboose, a small train engine and a gazebo.

We'll leave St. John's parking lot at 12:00 noon aboard a Cardinal Transportation motor coach and travel to Dover, Ohio, the site of The Ernest Warther Museum. A tour guide will walk us through Ernest's early life and his amazing journey from the son of Swiss immigrants, forced to abandon his formal education after the second grade, to an artistic genius and inventor of world renown! In your free time you can explore the gift shop, Frieda's beautiful flower gardens, and the Warther Cutlery store next door, where while you browse, you can have your pocket knife sharpened for just \$3.00. (Limit one please.)

**HAN'S PLACE CAFE & SWISS HERITAGE WINERY**, our dinner destination, is just a short country drive away, and you'll find some fun shopping at **BROAD RUN CORNER CHEESE HOUSE & BOUTIQUE**. If shopping isn't your thing, you'll find the tables at the cafe of the winery a relaxing place to wind down with some wine tasting before dinner. Then we'll board our coach again and make our way to the site of the widely acclaimed outdoor drama, **“TRUMPET IN THE LAND”** which begins at 8:30 pm. If you attended last year and already have your “rain check” ticket, bring it along for admission. Our return to St. John's will be a little late, approximately 12:30 am, so feel free to bring a pillow if you'd like to catch a nap on the way home!

If you have your rain check ticket from last year, the price per person is \$77.00. If you weren't with us last year and don't have a ticket, the price is \$95.00. This includes all admissions, meals, snacks, and as always lots of fun and fellowship! And, who knows... perhaps a dip of something cool and creamy somewhere along the way! Wine tasting is on your own. Dinner menu choices and a reservation form are available in the Marie Pfarr Room. Reserve your space by calling Jeff or Carol Reinhard at 614-560-5085 or Annie Scheiderer at 937-707-0424 now!

## MORE NOTES & NEWS ITEMS



### Back-to-School Campout with LYF!

Join us for a fun night of memories around the campfire as we get ready to kick-off a new school year with a LYF campout! We will be camping at Alum Creek State Park on Friday, August 5th. We will meet at the Youth House at 4pm to carpool over to the campground. Youth are welcome to come later as well, or on Saturday! Friday night will include making dinner on the campfire, a devotion, games and s'mores of course! Saturday we'll enjoy breakfast, more games, and a light lunch before packing up to head back around 1pm. Feel free to bring your own tent (or we have some roomy ones to spare!), as well as a sleeping bag, pillow, lawn chair, and clothes for overnight (and any additional camping gear you may have). It'll be a great weekend of fun and fellowship and we hope to see you happy campers there! Contact RJ or Laura Zeiler (913-549-0057 or [laurazeiler@gmail.com](mailto:laurazeiler@gmail.com)) to RSVP before 8/5, for site number, and with any questions.

### ACES



ACES will be playing Euchre Wednesday at the Youth House starting at 1:30 p.m. Come and join the fun and fellowship. Cost is \$1.00. We have prizes, and refreshments. We would love to see you, and feel free to bring a friend!

### Quarterly Voter's Assembly Meeting

The Voter's Meeting will be held on **Sunday, July 17** at 1:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Please consider attending this meeting to become a voting member.



## Craft Workshops for Kids and Moms

HOSTED BY  
Saint John's Ladies Aid

Please join us in the church basement. Enter through the plain white basement door that faces the school — it will be open!

### Free Summer Fun and Friendship

This summer, we're offering various craft and art workshops for Moms and kids!! Escape the heat in our cool crafting room. Simple refreshments provided. Kids will create their own fun art to take home as well as design and create wonderful hand made items to sell at the Christmas Bazaar. This activity will develop a sense of stewardship with the kids as well as provide them a fun hang out time. Plus it's free!!

For More Information call or text 937-537-1946 or 614-352-1794

#### List of Workshops

- Reindeer
- Snowman Hats
- Gnomes
- Angels and Ballerinas
- Origami and Paper Crafts
- Watercolor Painting

#### Schedule

Each workshop lasts for two hours. Choose from the following schedules:

- Wednesdays throughout summer
- 10am- Noon
- 5pm - 7pm

## FOOD TRUCKS & FELLOWSHIP

ST. JOHN'S PLAYGROUND 5-7 PM

JULY 20TH: GEEZER'S GRILL, GREEK VILLAGE  
LIL E'S ICECREAM  
AUGUST 11TH: MARTINY'S BBQ, BUCKEYE  
SHAVED ICE, ANOTHER TRUCK TBA



BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIRS AND BRING FRIENDS! ENJOY SOME DELICIOUS FOOD AND THEN LET THE KIDS PLAY ON THE PLAYGROUND! TRUCKS WILL BE PARKED NEAR THE PLAYGROUND FROM 5-7 DURING THE DATES LISTED ABOVE!

### Pictorial Directory Volunteers Needed



Have a couple hours to volunteer to assist with the new pictorial directory? We need volunteers to 'host' our photo sessions! Hosts will be responsible for checking families in for the sessions and verifying member contact information.

If you have time to volunteer, please sign-up for a time slot at [tinyurl.com/stjohndirectory](http://tinyurl.com/stjohndirectory) or contact Laura Zeiler at 913-549-0057. Thank you for your help!

### Secret Santa Gift Shop Donations Needed!

The bazaar is returning and we are preparing for the children's area. We are in need of good condition gift items including candles, trinkets, children's items such as games, small gifts and also very good condition stuffed animals for the animal walk! Please leave items in the labeled box in the Marie Pfarr Room.  
Email [cea@sismarysville.org](mailto:cea@sismarysville.org)

## NOTES & NEWS ITEMS

### Ladies Aid Requests for the Christmas Bazaar



*Ladies Aid Christmas Bazaar updates:*

Donations for our craft table continue to be given — thank you so much!! Please leave donations on the pew in the Marie Pfarr Room and label it 'Ladies Aid'.

*Here is an updated list of items needed:* old hymnals, snap & clip clothespins, fake fur, fat and skinny pool noodles, poly-fil, wooden beads, old jewelry, ribbon, picture frames, smooth sided coffee cans, Christmas greenery and seasonal flowers, old glasses and sunglasses, white glitter, and artificial snow.

### Delivery Volunteers Needed

We are in need of a few additional volunteers to help with our delivery ambassador program. This service delivers recordings of the weekly services, the Notes & News, and Worship service bulletins to the homebound, elderly and our members in nursing homes. The commitment is for one month a year, where the ambassador will make sure the deliveries are made on Sunday's and potentially Monday's if additional time is needed. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact Michael Blumenschein at (614) 403-6922 or [m.blumenschein@gmail.com](mailto:m.blumenschein@gmail.com)

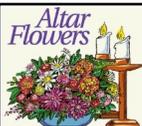
### Church Pictorial Directory Sign-ups are Live!



St. John's is updating our pictorial directory and we would love to include your family!

The directory is a wonderful ministry tool for our congregation, as well as aids in connections amongst members. All families participating in the directory will receive a free 8x10 family portrait as well as a copy of our new directory. Photography dates are **July 20th-23rd** at the school. To schedule your photography appointment online, simply go to [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com), click on photography appointment scheduling login on the right side, enter oh2545 in the Church Code field and enter photos in the Church Password field. Follow the prompts to schedule your family's appointment time. If you have 6 or more in your family, please use 2 consecutive time slots.

If you need additional help scheduling online or would like to call to schedule your time slot, please reach out to Laura Zeiler at 913-549-0057. If your family is unable to attend a photo session, please reach out to Laura as well (email is [laurazeiler@gmail.com](mailto:laurazeiler@gmail.com) or call/text) about how to submit a photo to include. Thank you!



### ALTAR FLOWER CALENDAR DATES

The following dates are available for altar flowers in July through October:

July 17	September 4	October 2
July 24	September 18	October 9
July 31	September 25	

Some dates in *November and December* are still available on the 2022 calendar. Chancel flowers are available almost every weekend. Please call Charlotte Blumenschein at (937) 644-4111 to reserve any special dates for flowers in church.

*The Flower Committee thanks you for your continued support.*

### FREE FOOD DISTRIBUTION



**3rd Thurs every month**

**July 21**



**10:30 AM-12:30**  
Our Lady of Lourdes  
1033 W. 5th St., Marysville



In partnership with Mid Ohio Foodbank

For more information contact St. Vincent Depaul at 614-582-8204



To my Church family & friends, I want to thank you for making my birthday so special and memorable with all of the beautiful cards, the birthday wishes, the flowers and the gifts from the Sunday School class and so many friends. I am truly blessed and my 100<sup>th</sup> birthday could not have been any better. Thanks again and blessings to all. **Frieda Nicol**

**The family of Craig Nicol** would like to thank everyone for their support, thoughts, and prayers during Craig's passing.

## TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

### Old Testament Reading: *Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18*

*God gave Moses the words to speak to the Israelites. God's way was different than the way of the Egyptians, and God wanted the influence of the Egyptian nation to diminish from His people. God's way is kind, generous, and righteous. Let us follow God's way.*

<sup>1</sup>The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, <sup>2</sup>"Speak to the people of Israel and say to them, I am the LORD your God. <sup>3</sup>You shall not do as they do in the land of Egypt, where you lived, and you shall not do as they do in the land of Canaan, to which I am bringing you. You shall not walk in their statutes. <sup>4</sup>You shall follow my rules and keep my statutes and walk in them. I am the LORD your God. <sup>5</sup>You shall therefore keep my statutes and my rules; if a person does them, he shall live by them: I am the LORD. . . .  
<sup>9</sup>"When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. <sup>10</sup>And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the LORD your God. <sup>11</sup>"You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. <sup>12</sup>You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the LORD. <sup>13</sup>"You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired servant shall not remain with you all night until the morning. <sup>14</sup>You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the LORD. <sup>15</sup>"You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. <sup>16</sup>You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the LORD. <sup>17</sup>"You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. <sup>18</sup>You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD."

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

### Epistle Reading: *Colossians 1:1-14*

*Pray for one another as Paul and Timothy prayed for the people in Colossae. Bear fruit from the Holy Spirit and in good works so that others may know the Lord. Grow in the knowledge of God, and keep growing until He returns.*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, <sup>2</sup>To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. <sup>3</sup>We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, <sup>4</sup>since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, <sup>5</sup>because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, <sup>6</sup>which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and growing—as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, <sup>7</sup>just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf <sup>8</sup>and has made known to us your love in the Spirit. <sup>9</sup>And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, <sup>10</sup>so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God. <sup>11</sup>May you be strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy, <sup>12</sup>giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. <sup>13</sup>He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup>in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

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### Holy Gospel: *Luke 10:25-37*

*Jesus explained the Parable of the Good Samaritan to a teacher of the law, a Pharisee. In this parable, a man was robbed and beaten and left to die. Both a priest and a Levite passed up the man, but it was a Samaritan man who took pity on him and extended mercy. Although Samaritans were considered social outcasts, it was this man that was most like Jesus. We must follow the example of Jesus and love God with all our souls, minds, strength, and heart and in the same way, love our neighbors.*

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the tenth chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>25</sup>Behold, a lawyer stood up to put [Jesus] to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" <sup>26</sup>He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" <sup>27</sup>And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." <sup>28</sup>And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live." <sup>29</sup>But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" <sup>30</sup>Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. <sup>31</sup>Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. <sup>32</sup>So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. <sup>33</sup>But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. <sup>34</sup>He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. <sup>35</sup>And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' <sup>36</sup>Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" <sup>37</sup>He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.